

(c) whether the estimates for the construction of the approach roads have been prepared and technical and administrative sanctions obtained for the same ;

(d) when they will call for tenders ?

A.—Sri H. M. CHANNABASAPPA (Minister for Public Works and Electricity).—

(a) Yes, for Rs. 123 lakhs including approaches.

(b) Yes, by the Government of India for the bridge proper excluding approaches and minor cross drainage works.

(c) The estimate for approaches is being considered by the Government of India.

(d) Tenders would be called for after the estimate is administratively approved.

Sri V. SRINIVASA SHETTY.—To clause (d), the answer is that "tenders would be called for after the estimate is administratively approved." When the Government of India are the real agents to finance the thing, what is the difficulty in calling for tenders immediately ?

†Sri H. M. CHANNABASAPPA.—It is an administrative procedure which has to be adopted by the State of Mysore. There will be no difficulty ; we will authorise calling for tenders immediately.

Sri V. SRINIVASA SHETTY.—What is the time required ?

Sri H. M. CHANNABASAPPA.—When I say that Government is anxious to put it through, I do not think there is any need for further interpellations.

Public Works Department Investigation Circle at Tumkur.

*Q.—112. Sri T. TARE GOWDA (Sira).—

Will the Government be pleased to state :—

(a) when the P.W.D. Investigation Circle was opened in Tumkur District ;

(b) whether they have started work and what is the survey and investigation conducted by them ;

(c) the results and recommendations of their investigations and what are new tanks, pickups, channels, etc., they have proposed for sanction and construction to the concerned higher authorities ?

A.—Sri H. M. CHANNABASAPPA (Minister for Public Works and Electricity).—

(a) No Investigation Circle is opened in Tumkur District.

(b) and (c) Do not arise in view of reply to clause (a).

ಶ್ರೀ ಬಿ. ತಾರೇಗೌಡ.—ತುಮಕೂರು ಜಿಲ್ಲೆಯಲ್ಲಿ ಯಾವ ಸರ್ವೇಯನ್ನೂ ಮಾಡಿದ್ದವೆ ?

Sri M. N. NAGHNOOR.—The investigation work is going on with good progress and a number of bridges and pick-ups have been repaired already.

ಶ್ರೀ ಬಿ. ತಾರೇಗೌಡ.—ತುಮಕೂರು ಜಿಲ್ಲೆಗೆ ಸಂಬಂಧಪಟ್ಟಿರುವುದರಲ್ಲಿ ಯಾವುದನ್ನಾದರೂ ಹೇಳಬಲ್ಲರಾ ?

Sri M. N. NAGHNOOR.—It is a very big list. I can only say in short that projects worth about Rs. 44 lakhs to benefit 3,362 acres have been repaired so far.

ಶ್ರೀ ಬಿ. ತಾರೇಗೌಡ.—ಈ ಲಿಸ್ಟನ್ನು ಸಭೆಯ ಮುಂದೆ ಇಡಲಾಗುವುದೆ ?

Sri M. N. NAGHNOOR.—The Hon'ble Member can see that.

Construction of Causeway for Hagari on H.K.K.S.T. Road.

*Q.—115. Sri M. M. J. SADYO-JATHAPPAIAH (Harapanaballi).—

Will the Government be pleased to state :—

(a) whether a temporary causeway for Hagari on H.K.K.S.T. road in 11/5 mile was constructed ;

(b) if so, whether R.C.C. posts were posited ;

(c) whether it is a fact that estimate was provided to use 30 lbs. of steel for each post ;

(d) whether it is not a fact that the contractor has used only 5 lbs. of steel to those posts instead of 30 pounds ;